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## Sixth Form Weekly Bulletin

4th July 2018

Dear parents

It is difficult to believe that the end of the academic year has arrived. Mrs Weiner and I find ourselves in a Sixth Form centre that, for all of May and June, was a hive of emotion and intensity and, now that July has arrived, is suddenly and eerily empty. After a couple of weeks of final exams, graduations and goodbyes, the carrel areas are clear and all that remains is to write a couple of final words in this bulletin before we put the lights out for the summer.

For Year 12s, a busy summer awaits. Most students are currently completing their week of work shadowing or are on a road trip visiting universities. These two entirely different but equally valuable experiences, along with a few weeks of online courses, additional reading, university research and EPQ preparation, are going to be so formative in advance of what is always a very busy Term 1 in Year 13. As easy as it may be to get caught up in this, I urge all the students to use the summer, above all, to look after themselves, to relax, to recharge batteries, to read for pleasure, to try something new, to spend time with family and friends, free of devices, and to keep active over the summer.

For Year 13s, what lies ahead is a summer of discovery and anticipation. It has been a genuine pleasure getting to know all of you over the past two years and now, for the final time, I bid you farewell and wish you the very best of luck. Thursday 16th August is presently a dim speck on the horizon, but one that will approach slowly but steadily. In preparation for it, I have attached here a link to a document I have already sent to the students **detailing what to do on Results Day**. The results day and university admissions process in August can be complex, but the document covers what to do in the vast majority of scenarios. If in doubt, please do contact me by email in advance of 16th August or by phone on Results Day itself, as detailed in the document.

Wherever you may be going, whoever you will be with, I wish you all a safe, happy and fulfilling summer.

Bobby Trivic

### ERRATA

Following our Year 13 Graduation Ceremony on Saturday 23 June, we would like to amend the following:

**Rachel Choi** has gained a place at **Oxford University** to study Archaeology and Anthropology

**Olivia Brown** won the **Senior Subject Prize for Art**

**Joshua Bryant** won the **Senior Subject Prize for Geography**

We would like to congratulate these students (and all of Year 13) on their great achievements.

### Future Dates and Events

Thursday 30th August

Induction Day for the new Year 12

Sunday 2nd September

First day of new school year for all students

### The Sixth Form team:

- Mr Trivic, Head of Sixth Form
- Mr Tate, Head of Year 13
- Mrs Maguire Head of Year 12
- Mrs Weiner, Sixth Form Administrator
- 20 tutors

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